

CHAPTER NO. 173

SENATE BILL NO. 606

By McLeary

Substituted for: House Bill No. 600

By Curtiss

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-5-101, relative to establishing that special rates and terms are valid when reached through negotiation between a public utility and a business customer.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 65-5-101(b), is amended by deleting the last sentence in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Records of such special rates and terms shall be retained by the telecommunications provider for the length of time that such rates and terms apply but shall not be filed with the authority. Such rates shall be effective upon execution by the parties.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 28, 2005


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 17th day of May 2005


PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR